	Workers	Number of seats
3.	Hind Mazdoor Sabha	1
4.	United Trades Union Centre (LS)	1
5.	All India Trade Union Congress	1
6.	Centre of Indian Trade Unions	1
7.	National Labour Organisation	1
	Total	10

Losses by Engineering Projects (India)

6544. DR. A.K. PATEL:
SHRI JEEWAN SHARMA:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have conducted any inquiry into the lapses of Engineering Projects (India) Ltd. (EPI) specially the losses incurred in foreign exchange;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the reasons for such lapses and the action taken against the officers found guilty?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI P.K.THUNGON): (a) and (b). Shri B. Swaminathan, former Director, Coal India Ltd. has been requested (in April, 1991) to conduct an enquiry into the matter.

(c). Enquiry report is awaited. However, the reasons for the losses are:-

i) The losses were mainly due to two overseas projects in the gulf region.

ii) Iran-Iraq war increased the losses of EPI.

iii) Rigid attitude of the overseas clients.

(iv) Heavy interest liability on loans taken for overseas operations.

Action against officers if found guilty, would be taken after the report is accepted by the Government.

[*Translation*]

Illegal Allotment of Coal by ECL

6545. SHRI UPENDRA NATH VERMA:
SHRI RATILAL VARMA:

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware